

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

PEOPLE FIRST OF ALABAMA, et  
al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

JOHN MERRILL, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No.: 2:20-cv-00619-AKK

**MOTION TO WITHDRAW ROBERT CLOPTON**

Pursuant to Rule 21 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiffs respectfully move to withdraw Plaintiff Robert Clopton as a party in this action. The State Defendants and the Defendant election officials in Jefferson, Lee, Mobile, Montgomery, and Wilcox counties do not oppose this motion. The remaining Defendants' have not advised Plaintiffs of their position on this motion.

All other Plaintiffs and all claims will remain in this litigation.

Accordingly, Plaintiffs respectfully request that this Court enter an order voluntarily withdrawing Mr. Clopton, with prejudice, from this litigation.

DATED this 17th day of July 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on July 17, 2020 I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such to counsel of record.

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